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SALE SET A RECORD

SIXTY-FIVE SHORTHORNS SELL FOR TOTAL OF $111,085

AN AVERAGE OF $1,709

Animals Were Sold to Buyers From Calif., Penn., and Many Other States — New High Average

Sixty-five purebred Shirthorns at the Bellows Bros.' annual June sale yesterday brought $111,075, the largest sum ever paid for a like number of animals at a public sale. The average, also a high record, was $1,709. The Bellows sale in June last year totalled $57,885, with fifty-one animals offered, an average of $1,135. The top price, $8,100, was paid for the bull Rosewood Reserve, by Mrs. J. E. McCauley of Lewiston, Mont. Twelve states are represented in the buyers, with animals being sold to purchasers from as far west as California and as far east to Pennsylvania. A number of animals were purchased by breeders in the northern states.

The following animals were sold:

Village Supreme, $16,500; Jackson & White, Hurley, S. Dak.

Parkdale Rex, $3,700; H. C. Lookabaugh, Watonga, Okla.

Hampton's Sultan, $1,700; D. M. Greggs, Harrisonville, Mo.

Parkdale Emblem, $2,000; J. H. Crist, Skidmore, Mo.

Clipper Baron, $1,350; Jas. G. Johnston, Holdridge, Nebr.

Parkdale Wista, $2,150; S. A. Nelson, Malcolm, Nebr.

Sittyton Beauty 5th, $2,475; Geo. Greer, New Castle, Pa.

Sultan's Maid, $1,750; Geo. C. Miller Unionville, Mo.

Sultana Countess, $1,125; J. H. Crist, Skidmore, Mo.

Westlawn Secret 3rd, $1,575; Moore Bros., Ravenwood, Mo.

Waycross Mina, $2,700; B. F. Ehlers, Crandon, N. Dak.

Queen of Scots 30th, $1,800; B. F. Ehlers, Grandon, N. Dak.

Lavender of Hazelland, $1,750; Jos. Miller & Son, Granger, Mo.

Goldenia 4th, $1,050; H. C. Duncan, Osborne, Mo.

Victoria 15th, $1,100; Geo. Greer, New Castle, Pa.

Diamond Sultana, $3,000; C. M. Brown, Auxvasse, Mo.

Queen of Beauty 31st, $3,600; Ogden & Son, Maryville, Mo.

Choice Lavender, $1,400; M. J. Hickey, Manning, Ia.

Victoria Hampton 2nd, $1,600; A. W. Carey, Waverly, S. Dak.

Diamond Rose, $1,675; J. H. Crist, Skidmore, Mo.

Red Rose 2nd, $900; D. Warnock & Son, Loveland, Colo.

Barmpton Lady 7th, $1,000; Theison Bros., Osmond, Nebr.

Victoria 18th, $1,025; F. W. Harding, Waukesha, Wis.

Knight's Rose, $1,550; G. A. Nelson, Malcolm, Nebr.

Hampton's Myrtle, $1,350; Hopley Stock Farm, Atlantic, Ia.

Lady Orange Blossom 4th, $1,100; H. C. Lookabaugh, Watonga, Okla.

Lady Orange Blossom 6th, $1,025; J. H. Crist, Skidmore, Mo.

Linwood Clara 3rd, $1,400; R. N. Marshall, Ollie, Ia.

Coleen 4th, $825; Estate of Thomas P. Bibblee, Santa Clara, Calif.

Coleen 3rd, $1,400; L. E. Crews, Haigley, Nebr.

Columbia 12th, $950; D. Warnock & Son, Loveland, Colo.

Miss Lily, $1,600; W. C. Prewitt & Son, Clarksville, Mo.

Golden Butterfly, $825; W. E. Espey Maryville, Mo.

Sweetheart 6th, $1,150; A. G. Duffee, Kirksville, Mo.

Violet Viola, $825; J. H. Crist, Skidmore, Mo.

White Gypsy, $1,100; Owen Kane, Wisner, Nebr.

Red Lavender, $925; J. H. Crist, Skidmore, Mo.

Miss Peal, $1,000; D. Warnock & Son, Loveland, Colo.

Crestmead Cicely 3rd, $1,050; A. O. Stanley, Sheridan, Mo.

Roan Princess, $1,650; F. C. Merry, Kansas City, Mo.

Overbrook Myrtle 3rd, $825; Hepley Stock Farm, Atlantic, Ia.

Mysie Cumberland, $1,800; J. H. Crist, Skidmore, Mo.

Red Rose, $625; B. F. Ehlers, Grandon, N. Dak.

Pride's Gem 4th, $1,300; Park Salter, Augusta, Kans.

Laurette, $850; J. H. Crist, Skidmore, Mo.

Supreme Butterfly, $825; F. C. Merry, Kansas City, Mo.

Fond Secret, $1,475; Ogden & Son, Maryville, Mo.

Fancy Sally, $725; Thos. Andrews, Cambridge, Nebr.

Fancy Laura 2nd, $1,075; S. A. Nelson, Malcolm, Nebr.

Overlook's Violet, $900; D. Warnock & Son, Loveland, Colo.

Queen of Beauty 40th, $3,900; Owen Kane, Wisner, Nebr.

Queen of Beauty 37th, $2,000; D. Warnock & Son, Loveland, Colo.

Cassie 4th, $1,675; L. W. Bigley, Fairfax, Mo.

Fancy Augusta (twins), $1,500; R. N. Marshall, Ollie Ia.

Wellington Lassie, $1,600; F. E. Blandorf, Clarinda, Ia.

Parkdale Augusta 5th, $1,500; D. Warnock & Son, Loveland, Colo.

Parkdale Sultana 3rd, $2,500; N. R. Rundell, Hurley, S. Dak.

Columbia 19th, $1,775; F. C. Merry, Kansas City, Mo.

Gregg's Farm Victoria, $1,550; F. C. Merry, Kansas City, Mo.

Verbenia, $975; E. C. Smith, Pleasanton, Kans.

Sweet Violet, $1,825; F. C. Merry, Kansas City, Mo.

Diamond Queen 14th, $675; J. H. Crist, Skidmore, Nebr.

Hampton's Rose 2nd, $925; B. F. Ehlers, Grandon, N. Dak.

Gloster Girl, $900; S. A. Nelson, Malcolm, Nebr.

Barmpton Lady 7th, $725; S. P. Emmons & Son, Mexico, Mo.

Sixty-five head, $111,075.

Average, $1,709.

WILL CELEBRATE THE FOURTH

Jefferson Township Red Cross Auxiliary Will Observe Day With Appropriate Exercises

The Red Cross auxiliaries of Jefferson township are planning to celebrate the Fourth of July at Conception. On the morning of the Fourth a service flag for Jefferson township will be unfurled and at the noon hour a dinner will be served for the benefit of the Red Cross and the afternoon will be given over to patriotic talks and various amusements. A dance will be given on the evening of the Fourth.

The officers appointed to take charge are: President and chairman, R. W. Graham; secretary, J. J. Enis; treasurer, C. A. Teson. Committees have been appointed to take charge of amusement and entertainment, location of grounds, finance, advertising and the dance.

DEATH OF PARNELL RESIDENT

Frank Bloomfield Dies Following An Operation at St. Joseph— Wife and Two Children Survive

Frank Bloomfield of Parnell died at 7:50 o'clock last night following an operation for gall stones at a hospital in St. Joseph. Mr. Bloomfield had been in ill health for some time and was taken to St. Joseph last week for treatment. He underwent an operation on Wednesday, which proved unsuccessful, and death followed the next day.

Mr. Bloomfield is well known in Parnell, having lived there a number of years. He is survived by his wife, one son, Troy Bloomfield, and one daughter, Mrs. Ralph Lewis. The body will be brought to Parnell today and funeral arrangements will be made later.

Mrs. Mary Wyatt Moore of Kansas City returned last night to her home after a two weeks visit with Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Eversole and other friends.

AT HARMONY SUNDAY

BIG CROWD EXPECTED AT ANNUAL HOME-COMING

A PATRIOTIC PROGRAM

Following the Big Dinner the Afternoon Will Be Devoted to Addresses and Raising of a Service Flag

The folks at Harmony are planning for the biggest home-coming this year at their ninth annual event at Harmony church they have ever had, and with fair weather the crowd promises to exceed any held in former years in numbers. The home-coming this year will be of a patriotic nature, the afternoon being taken up with a program which includes the unfurling and dedication of a service flag, patriotic speaking and a song service.

The home-coming will start Sunday morning with Sunday school at 11 o'clock, following which there will be preaching services at 12, the sermon being by Dr. W. H. Betts of Iowa. After the sermon dinner will be spread on the tables in the grove adjoining the church.

The ladies will prepare the food and will observe the regulations of the food administration and in place of meat there will be plenty of chicken, mutton and fish and dairy products. Conservation of fats and sweets will be observed through the entire menu. But have no fears on that score, for the women of Harmony are equal to the occasion and visitors may be assured of a splendid repast.

After the dinner is over, and beginning at 2:30 o'clock, three quarters of an hour will be devoted to a song service, which will include solos, duets, quartettes and community singing.

Prof. Harry A. Miller will make a patriotic talk in connection with the raising and dedication of Harmony's service flag.

The following committees wil handle the affair.

Management — Mathias Casteel, Alfred Hunt, Frank Van Velson and A. Lawson.

Speakers — Elmer Porter, James Lewis and J. S. Casteel.

Music—Mrs. Newt Moore, Mrs. Purl Peadrick, Mrs. Vida Heflin and Cecil Lawson.

Grounds—Hubert Null, E. S. Saunders, Mrs. Schoonover, G. Harbison, Les Murray, J. W. Kessler and Alva Hunt.

Water—Bert McKee, Emmett Lewis, and Joe Trullinger.

Tables—Ovie Heflin, Geo. Lawson, Clint Woods, Earl Gay and John Whitten.

Seats and Stands—Harry Lewis, Les Griffey, Irvin Patterson, Lloyd Casteel, Walter Dickey, Mr. Hudson and Milt Brown.

Finance—Fred Buck, John Anderson, Arthur Hunt and Harry Martin.

Parking—Roy Wells, Shupe Coffelt, Byrd Edwards, Mark Heflin and Newt Alexander.

Advertising — Bert Lewis, Emmett Edwards, Till Nevill and John Green.

Invitation—Marie Lewis, Hazel Cox and Mary Martin.

John McDougal In Navy.

John McDougal, son of Judge and Mrs. R. L. McDougal, has enlisted in the United States naval reserve as a second class seaman and has been placed on the reserve list awaiting call to the ensign school, which he expects to receive about the first of July. Mr. McDougal enlisted in Chicago.

Ernest Alexander Home On Furlough.

Ernest Alexander, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Alexander of North Mulberry street, arrived in Maryville last night to spend a ten-day furlough with his parents. Young Alexander is a member of the Radio Division, signal section of the Marine Corps. He enlisted last December and has been stationed at Paris Island, S. C.

Dr. Cox Expected Home.

Dr. Gilbert S. Cox, pastor of the First M. E. church, is expected home from California tomorrow and will preach Sunday. Dr. Cox has been in California for the past month engaged in a college endowment fund campaign.

C. P. Schmidt Returns Home.

C. Pleas Schmidt, former member of the county court, who has been looking after business here the past week, left for his home in Colorado this afternoon. Mr. Schmidt will make the trip via auto.



ARE YOU WEARING THE FLAG TODAY?

ANOTHER SHIP DOWN

GERMAN U-BOAT IS STILL ACTIVE OFF ATLANTIC COAST

A WIRELESS S. O. S. CALL

British Steamer Reports Picking Up Air Message Telling of Attack and Later of Sinking

An Atlantic Port, June 14.—A British steamer just arrived here reported that last night she picked up an S. O. S. call from a steamship which stated that she was being attacked by a submarine off the Virginia Capes. At 9 o'clock another wireless call came from the torpedoed ship saying that she was sinking and that unless aid was received at once may lives would perhaps be lost.

Washington, June 14.—A wireless that the British steamer Keemun was being gunned off the Virginia Capes was picked up by the navy department last night it was announced today. No additional details have been received.

An Atlantic Port, June 14.—A former gunner in the United States navy is in command of the Onema, the kaiser's submarine that has been ravaging ships in American waters off the Atlantic coast. He is Capt. Neustidt.

FUNERAL OF MRS. CUMMINS

Will Be Held Saturday Morning at 9:30 o'Clock From St. Patrick's Catholic Church

Funeral services for Mrs. T. A. Cummins, who died at 11 o'clock yesterday morning at her home on East Fourth street, will be held at 9.30 o'clock tomorrow morning at the St. Patrick's Catholic church, conducted by Rev. Father Henry F. Niemann. Burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery. The Woman's Catholic Order of Foresters, of which Mrs. Cummins was a member, will attend the funeral in a body.

The relatives from a distance who have arrived are Frank Cummins of Des Moines, Rev. Father Cummins of Brookfield, Mo., Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Garten of Albany, Mitchell Garten of Cheney, Kans., Ray Garten of Ford City, and Mrs. S. O. Ferguson of San Bernardino, Calif.

Donald King to New York.

Donald King, a graduate of the naval academy at Annapolis, Md., who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. King, will leave tomorrow for New York where he will go on duty on a convoy ship. Young King expects to be on his way to France within a week.

NOTED SCIENTIST MURDERED.

Paris, June 14.—Prof. Samuel Pozzi, the noted scientist, who collaborated with Dr. Alexis Carrel, the famous American surgeon, was murdered in his laboratory last night, the murderer then committing suicide. Neither the identity of the assassin or his motive is known.

NOTICE.

All knowing themselves indebted to me, please call and settle at once.

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YOUR MEAT RATION

COUNTY FOOD ADMINISTRATOR ANNOUNCES NEW REGULATIONS

ALSO, SAVE MORE WHEAT

We Are Now Between Seasons and the Greatest Care Must Be Taken to Conserve Supplies

With the order from Food Administrator Hoover that from now until September 15 we are to go on a meat ration, County Administrator F. P. Robinson announces the following regulations are now in effect:

Householders are requested not to buy more than one and one-quarter pounds of beef per week for each member of the household.

Hotels, restaurants, boarding houses and all other public eating places are not to serve boiled beef more than two meals weekly, beef steak more than one meal weekly and roast beef more than one meal weekly, and all bills of fare should be revised to meet these rules at once. These rules are now in effect and will be effective until at least September 15.

Pork, lamb, mutton, poultry and fish may be used, but should be used as moderately as possible and without waste.

Save Wheat.

Every citizen who possibly can do so is earnestly requested to do without wheat flour or any wheat products whatever until at least August 1. If you are unable to do without wheat entirely, remember that you cannot use more than six pounds of wheat flour per month for each member of your household, and that sales by dealers are limited to that amount. Sick persons and invalids may secure a larger allowance of flour if needed by them upon application to the county food administrator.

F. P. ROBINSON,
Nodaway County Food Administrator.

GOING IN SERVICE OVERSEAS

Former Hopkins Boy, Now a Lieutenant, On Short Visit With Parents

Dr. Leslie West of Chicago, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. West of Hopkins, spent yesterday and last night on a short visit with his parents prior to going in overseas service. Dr. West, first lieutenant, has been in Chicago for the past five years. Prof. Bert Cooper, a close friend of Lieut. West, was a guest at the West home last nigh

A NEW R. F. D. CARRIER

J. J. McDonald Appointed to Route Formerly Served by Howard Watson

James J. McDonald, son of James M. McDonald of Green township, has been appointed as rural mail carrier for Route 1 out of the Maryville postoffice. He will commence his work July 1. This is the route served by Howard Watson, who enlisted in the navy last December. The mail has been carried by E. C. Moore, who has been temporary carrier.

BOLSHEVIST DOWNFALL NEAR.

London, June 14.—The downfall of the Bolshevist government in Russia is imminent. The International News Service learned today that the Lenine-Trotsky regime narrowly escaped being overthrown this week at Moscow.

IN A BATTLE WITH ROBBERS.

Laurel, Nebr., June 14.—One man was killed and two were wounded by robbers here today. The bandits, who attempted robbery, escaped and posses are scouring the country in search.

Mrs. John R. Jones and children returned to their home in St. Joseph after a week's visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Jones and Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Kelley of Maryville and Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Robinson and Mr. and Mrs. James Neal of Pickering.

Leaves for Home.

Mrs. R. D. Campbell of Kansas City, who has been in Maryville visiting her daughter, Marcia Cutler, and her mother, Mrs. C. W. Messenger, will return tomorrow to her home.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Hanks drove to Gravity, Iowa Thursday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Hanks' aunt.

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181 TODAY'S CASUALTY LIST

Besides 119 In Army There Were 62 Casualties In the Marines With Eight Killed In Action

Washington, June 14.—One hundred and nineteen casualties were announced today. Twenty-nine were killed in action, five died of wounds, six of disease, three of accident, seventy were wounded severely, one was wounded the degree undetermined, five were missing in action. Sixty-two casualties in the marine corps were announced. Eight were killed in action, six died of wounds and forty-eight were wounded severely.

DRAW LINES TIGHT

ALIEN OWNED PROPERTY IN THE STATE TO BE TAKEN OVER

DEFENSE COUNCIL PLANS

A Report Will Be Had From Every County of Alien Chattels and Land —Confiscation Not Intended

Jefferson City, June 14.—Lines are to be tightly drawn about alien owned property in Missouri. This is indicated by a letter that has been sent out by Chairman F. B. Mumford and Secretary Wm. F. Saunders of the State Council of Defense.

This line of action was discussed at the recent meeting of the council at Hannibal and a broad and comprehensive policy in handling the matter was agreed upon.

The general scope of the policy to be followed is outlined in the following which is now in the hands of members of the council:

"The Alien Property Custodian of the United States has called on the Missouri Council of Defense, through its county and township councils of defense, to assist him in locating enemy-owned property of ALL KINDS, which, under the rules of war shall be under the charge of the United States government, and its income or proceeds of sale be used in the fight against the imperial German government and her allies.

"The term enemy as here used includes every person now living within, and every company incorporated within Germany, Austria-Hungary, and all territory occupied by the armed forces of the Central Powers. Similarly the term, 'alien enemy,' includes every person now living within, and every company incorporated with the country of any of the allies of Germany or Austria-Hungary. Residence, not citizenship, is the determining factor. Thus, Germans, Austro-Hungarians, Turks, etc., residing in the United States are not by reason of their nationality considered 'enemies' or 'allies' (except as noted below where the Missouri law is operative). Interned Germans and Austro-Hungarians are included within the term 'enemy'. So are Americans residing in any of the countries of the Central Powers or the territory they have occupied.

"Enemy-owned property includes all kinds of property, tangible or intangible, money, chattels, securities, lands, accounts receivable, etc., belonging to any enemy. If the property is held in the name of another by dummy or in trust—it is enemy property, provided the beneficial interests belong to the enemy.

"In addition to the above conditions, relating to enemy-owned property, which are common alike in all the United States, its territories and possessions, a unique situation prevails in Missouri and a very few other states.

"In 1895 the Missouri legislature passed a law which forbids anyone not a citizen of the United States to hold title to real estate in Missouri. This law, the attorney general of Missouri has ruled, after an exhaustive examination, is plainly in effect and operation today.

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HUN DRIVE IS STOPPED

GERMANS FOUGHT TO A STANDSTILL ON BOTH BATTLE FRONTS

EFFORTS TO EXTEND GAINS ARE SMASHED

The Kaiser Is Reported to Be Reinforcing His Troops On the Eastern Front — Believed An Invasion of Russia Is Planned

Paris, June 14.—The Germans have been fought to a standstill both on the Montdidier-Oise front and in the Aisne-Marne zone. Heavy fighting continued at numerous points but all German efforts to extend their gains have been smashed by the Allies. North and south heavy cannonading was followed by spirited infantry fighting. As a result of the fine weather there was an increase in air activity.

London, June 14.—Successful air raids were carried out by the British during the night in the sectors of Neville, Vitasse, Givenchy and Les Labassee, the war office announced. The Germans attacked the British near Mery this morning but were repulsed. Heavy artillery firing developed in the sector of Villers-Bretenue and Scarpe valley.

The Germans are reinforcing their troops on the whole north end of the eastern front and the question of the defense of Petrograd from attack has been reached, said an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Moscow today. The Bolsheviki have declared the far eastern sector in Russia in a state of seige and are preparing to draft men over 18 for the army, according to information from Tokio today.

Paris, June 14.—With the Germans checked all along the line only minor operations took place last night on the Montdidier-Oise and on the Aisne-Marne battle fronts, the war office announced today. Violent artillery duels developed between Villers-Cotterets and Chateau Thierry on the southern half of the Aisne-Marne front. (The Americans hold a part of the line immediately north of Chateau Thierry) and French patrols captured a number of prisoners. The French made some progress in the sector of Loge farm in the center of the Montdidier-Oise line.

Paris, June 14.—One and one-half German divisions were "chewed up" by the Americans in the past ten days, a staff officer estimated today, while the Americans held up five enemy divisions.

DAY FOR ALIENS HERE GONE.

Albany, N. Y., June 14.—Warning that America is for Americans alone and that the day for aliens among us has passed, Secretary of the Navy Daniels delivered a thrilling appeal for whole-hearted allegiance to the flag here this morning at the flag day exercises.

THE WEATHER

Partly cloudy and unsettled tonight and Saturday; warmer tonight.

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CHARLES F. BOOHER.

FOR PRESIDING JUDGE.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for nomination as presiding judge, subject to the action of the Democratic primary August 6, 1918.

S. H. WILLIAMS.

A FARM AGENT.

We note that many of the surrounding counties have what they call a farm agent, to look after the farming interests of the county. Now Nodaway county is second to none in wealth importance and production, and it looks as though if a farm agent is good for counties of lesser size and importance, one would be doubly beneficial to this county. We wonder why the county court does not take the matter up and secure a good man for this work. We believe he would more than earn his salary.—Barnard Bulletin.

J. M. Huston, sent here to act as district farm agent, and who has three counties under his jurisdiction, has already demonstrated the value of a county farm agent, although being able to give only a part of his time to the work in this county. We agree with the Barnard Bulletin that Nodaway ought to have a farm agent of its own.

THEIR ANSWER.

There are seven hundred thousand American fighters in France—Secretary Baker says so.

Two hundred and ninety men among seven hundred thousand were lost at sea.

The Germans boasted that their submarines would make it impossible for us to transport troops.

Republican newspapers and one ex-president did what they could to encourage the Germans by calling the president an incompetent and the secretary of the navy an idiot.

Two hundred and ninety-one men lost, and seven hundred thousand landed, is a fairly good answer by the president and Mr. Daniels to the highly constructive and helpful ex-president and a good answer to newspapers that have helped to encourage Germany and discourage American fathers and mothers.—Arthur Brisbane in Washington Times.

HAS A CLEAN RECORD.

The St. Louis Republic in an editorial last Saturday, in speaking of the congressional candidates, says Congressman Charles F. Booher of this district has a clean record on the five vital American measures that have come up befoe congress in the past two years. Congressman Booher voted against the McLemore resolution warning Americans off armed ships; voted for the armed ship bill to provide for the arming of American merchant ships; voted for the declaration of war; voted for the conscription bill; and voted for the food conservation bill.

The Republic editorial in part is as follows:

"Candidates for nominations at the August primary have qualified and the lists are closed. The real fight now begins and for sixty days public interest in Missouri will be divided between the war and politics, which are not so far apart as might be supposed, since the election of upright, simon-pure Americans is as much a patriotic duty this year as any other war work. Only we must not allow politics in itself, the mere itch for office, to interfere with the winning of the war. That kind of politics, as the president says, is adjourned.

"In another column the Republic today gives a resume of the records of the sixteen Missouri congressmen on five questions which will have an important bearing in determining whether fifteen of them shall return to Washington. We are glad to say that most of them stand this acid test well. Shackleford and Decker fail completely under it, and for that reason The Republic opposes their renomination and will continue to do so. Romjue voted for the declaration of war, for conscription and for food conservation. He was not a member of congress when the McLemore resolution and the armed ship bill were voted upon. Rucker, Alexander, Booher, Borland, Dickinson, Hamlin, Russell and Rubey have clean records on the test issues. Rucker did not vote on the armed ship bill and Russell was not present when the vote on food conservation was taken."

Forum-ettes

It looks from this distance that the German push for Paris is likely to be turned into a rush for the Rhine.

Never mind the "bait." Get out your fishing tackle. We're due to go a meat ration pretty soon.

The presiding elder of this column has signed up to help save the wheat, so if you miss these items a time or two during harvest you'll probably make it up in biscuit later on.

We'll admit that we complained a great deal last winter about the cold weather, but we want it understood that we've reserved the right to growl and complain about the weather this summer if it gets too bloomin' hot.

Notice we say "we" a great deal. The editor and a man with a tape worm is given that privilege.

With ships now being built more rapidly than the Huns can sink them, wouldn't it be a good idea to turn our attention to building hospitals faster than they could bomb them?

It is hard to understand how all the God-fearing and saintly people become so familiar with the personal wickedness of others.

The man who devotes all his time to thinking of his grudges will develop a permanent grouch and will never be a success in business.

And also, will someone kindly explain the difference between dignity and a grouch.

Brethren and sisters: When Adam got married he lost a rib and ever since then when a man gets married he loses his whole backbone.

Many a man would be satisfied if his wife would believe only half what she hears about him if she didn't insist in believing the worng half.

The white stockings some of the women wear wouldn't be so bad if after a day's wear they didn't look like a woman's reputation after the old gossips get through with her.

HOW MARYVILLE SOLDIER DISPERSED ATTACKS.

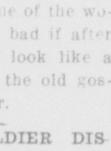
"For two years my stomach trouble was very bad, my doctor had to inject morphine on several occasions when I was stricken with these attacks. Since taking 4 bottles of Mayr's Wonderful Remedy I have been entirely well and am serving in the United States Artillery, having been pronounced in perfect health by Government physicians." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal muceous from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. Maryville Drug Co.

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DRAW LINES TIGHT

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Note, that this law effects the ownership of real estate ALONE, and not other forms of property, as noted above.

Note also that it affects a friendly alien alike. (Any proceeding against a friendly and loyal alien, however, would be made necessary and impossible by the alien making a declaration of intention to become a citizen. This would perfect the title. But such a privilege is not open to an unfriendly alien).

At the last meeting of the Missouri Council of Defense in Hannibal this matter was presented and discussed at length. By formal action of the State Council of Defense the broad policy was laid down to proceed to take advantage of the statue in question wherever the best interests of the nation are promoted thereby.

This policy does not comprehend a confiscation of property, whether owned by friendly or unfriendly alien, the owner of which is clearly endeavoring to serve this country.

You are instructed then:

1. To make a survey of ALL PROPERTY in your county or township, title of which is held by persons living in the Central empires, or occupied territory.

2. To make survey of all REAL PROPERTY in your county or township, possession of which is claimed by a person not a citizen of the United States.

It is suggested you appoint a special committee to conduct this two-fold inquiry and that one or more of its members be a county officer with specialty opportunity for access and knowledge of county records. A description of any property under (1) should be sent to this office for forwarding to the Alien Property Custodian. Under (2) please report to this office a description of all real estate owned by enemy aliens in your county or township together with any statement of facts as to the owner's attitude and conduct relating to the war which you may care to make. This property report should include "friendly" enemy aliens as well as other kinds. Such suits as may be warranted will be brought by the attorney general's office at the direction of the Missouri Council of Defense.

GUARD UNIFORM IS CHANGED

Half Brassard of Cadet Gray to Be Worn On Blouse, Coat and Shirt, Adjutant General Orders

St. Louis, June 14.—Under orders issued by Adjutant General McCain, at the instance of Governor Gardner, all uniforms of the Missouri Home Guards will be changed as will the insignia worn by the men serving in that branch of service.

Officers and men will wear on the blouse, overcoat and shirt a half brassard of cadet gray. This is to be worn on the left arm, midway between the elbow and shoulder.

Collar ornaments for officers will be the letters "Mo" in bronze, with crossed rifles or sabers to indicate infantry or cavalry, with the number of regiment above the intersection.

Officers of the Medical Corps will wear the distinctive insignia of the corps, instead of rifles or sabers. Officers of the staff corps and departments will wear the insignia of that corps.

Collar ornaments for enlisted men will be of bronze, one inch square, with the state coat of arms and letters "Mo."

Sleeve braid for officers will be of cadet gray. Chevrons will be worn only on the right sleeve.

OLD PAPERS for sale at this office

Camp Fire Girls Camp.

Mrs. Walter Davis, assistant guardian, went out Thursday evening with a party of 12 girls out 1½ miles northeast of Ravenwood near Platte river. They took tents, hammocks, cots and baskets of good things to eat and spent the night camping. The party was composed of Misses Mona, Georgia and Clata Farr, Myrtle and Lucile Craig, Emma and Ina Ralston, Madonna Davis, Opal McLaughlin, Beulah Morton, Maude Yeary, Marie Ralston. Additional guests at supper time were Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Yeary and Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Farr, Miss Burnetta Farr. These girls are organized as Camp Fire Girls, with Mrs. F. H. Casteel as Guardian and Mrs. Walter Davis, assistant Guardian.

Nineteenth Annual Home Coming.

The Workman Chapel Methodist church will hold their nineteenth annual basket dinner and home coming, Sunday, June 16. At 11 o'clock there will be a sermon and at 2 o'clock Charles McCaffery of Maryville will give a patriotic talk.

Everyone is cordially invited to attend this home coming.

Call Standard Plumbing Co. for your repair work. Hanamo 46.—Adv.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

WHEN LITTLE ONE SINGS

When evening comes over the gray shadows fall,
Softly my Little one sings;
Cuddles and coos to a little rag doll,
And babbles of wonderful things.
Voice like a linnet, and eyes like a dove,
Little One rocks in her chair,
And tenderly sings, while her motherly love
Warms to her little one there.

I want to get down by the side of her, too,
And rock-a-by back through the years,
Voyaging the Slumberland River of blue,
Untroubled by doubtings or fears.
To drift to a nest in the crook of an arm,
And lie in a cuddle of dreams;
Ah, Little One, sing me the wonderful charms
Up, up from the Lullaby streams.

And sing while the heart of you bursts in a song.
Cuddle your little one so,
For yours is a fleeting time, age is so long,
And you, little singer, will grow.
Age will lay hand on your curly, brown hair,
Make you a grown-up too soon;
Hustle you out of your little red chair—
Sing, sing, while your heart is in tune!

Softly gray shadows come deeping down,
Little One journey away
Mother and Dolly to Slumberland Town.
Drowsy-eyed dreamers astray,
Leaving me here where a mist of her song
Falls on my heart like a dew,
And heaven, I thank you, through age is so long,
Many the dreams that come true.

—Jay B. Iden in the Kansas City Star.

Mother's Cook Book

War Foods.

The new things that are being thought out by our housewives today will fill many recipe books and be a source of great comfort, because they mean good things with no increase in the foods we must save for our armies.

Cream Pie, Rice Crust.

Cook a cupful of rice in milk or in water until tender. Line a well greased pie tin with the rice, then fill with the following cooked filling: A pint of milk, yolks of two eggs, a teaspoonful of corn starch, a half cupful of honey, and a teaspoonful of vanilla; cook until smooth and cover with a meringue made with the whites; set into the oven to brown.

Honey Custard.

Cook a pint of milk, a half cupful of honey and grating of nutmeg, two eggs, and a pinch of salt, over hot water stirring constantly, or bake setting the cups in hot water. Maple flavor may be used for a change.

Steamed Brown Bread.

Take two cupfuls each of barley flour and corn meal, one and a half teaspoonfuls of soda, three-fourths cupful of molasses, two cupfuls of sour milk, a teaspoonful of salt; mix well and steam three hours.

Potato Flour Sponge Cake.

Separate the yolks and whites of four eggs, beat yolks until thick, add one cupful of sugar, beat well, add the whites beaten stiff, a pinch of salt, a half cupful of potato flour and a teaspoonful of baking powder. Bake in a moderate over 30 minutes.

Raisin Drop Cakes.

Take a third of a cupful of shortening, a cupful of sugar, two eggs, two cupfuls of corn flour, a cupful of raisins, a teaspoonful of vanilla, a cupful of milk. Mix as usual; bake in a moderate oven.

Cornmeal Muffins.

Take two tablespoonfuls of shortening, a half teaspoonful of salt, a half cupful of corn meal and five-eighths of a cupful of wheat flour, a teaspoonful of salt, two teaspoonfuls of sugar, the white of an egg and two-thirds of a cupful of milk. Cream the shortening and sugar, add salt, then milk, alternately with the dry ingredients. Lastly fold in the white of egg beaten stiff. Bake 20 minutes.

Nellie Maxwell

Jews in Kaiserland Unite for Protection of Rights

German newspapers recently received in London report the amalgamation of all the Jewish associations of the empire for the protection of the "legal rights of German Jews." The program adopted is described as their "irreducible minimum." The president is James Simon, a Berlin merchant prince contemptuously known in Junker circles as the "Court Jew" because of the kaiser's professed personal friendship for him. The main demands of the new organization, as set forth in the Vossische Zeitung, are "legal and genuine" equality of rights and opportunities with other citizens "in all states," including the unrestricted right of emigration into the Turkish empire, especially Palestine. Similar centralization of Jewish associations, it is stated, is imminent in Austria-Hungary, Turkey and Bulgaria.

Restricting Walnut Exports.

The authorization of exports of walnuts from the French colonies (except Tunis and Morocco) to American and allied countries has been canceled, according to a dispatch from Consul General Thackara in Paris. Special license must now be obtained and from the mother country as well. Similar action was taken regarding exports of animal hair from the colonies to this and other allied countries.

THE HUNS WANT GOLD

LOYAL SUBJECTS OF THE KAISER HAVE FAILED TO RESPOND

CONFISCATION NEXT

Poor People Have Been Stripped—Dresden Paper Attacks Brutal Selfishness of Hoarders

Despite the frantic appeals issued by the Reichstag urging the German ver for the benefit of the Fatherland, the fact seems well established that large numbers of the German middle and wealthy classes, while profuse in their professions of absolute confidence in the sword of Hindenberg, are not heeding their country's call to any great extent and apparently regard themselves as safer custodians of their gold and jewels than are the eichbank officials. Occasional cable dispatches to this effect are backed up by the following article found in a copy of the Dresdner Volszeitung recently received here:

"Immediately after the great fatality had arrived some four years ago, the admonition went forth to the people: 'Give gold for iron!' At that time it was believed in authoritative places and in wide circles that it might be assumed that this exhortation would at least mean with a success satisfying to a certain degree. The official gold purchasing bureaus were created and the national work of collection began.

"But he who had the opportunity, or who through interest in the matter, tried to look more closely into this act of war economics was obliged to make a discovery by no means edifying to real patriots: it was mostly members of the working class and of the middle class who were bringing their meagre, but for them often valuable, possessions in gold to the purchasing bureaus. How many of the so-called common people may well have separated themselves there from articles highly valuable to them in an esthetic sense. And again and again the appeal for gold and jewels went out.

"And again we read in the newspapers at present the exhortations of who may still have gold, pearls, or jewels ought to sell them to the fatherland, for gold and jewels now belong to the Fatherland.'' And, as it happened so often before, this admonition is again justified by pointing to the weighty fact that the Fatherland needs gold to cover the outstanding bank notes, the Reichbank needs jewels and gold to buy raw materials and foodstuffs in neutral countries. It is emphatically declared: 'No good German dare retain gold and jewels now, as everyone must know we need both for buying supplies and holding out. So out with the last piece of gold, out with the pearls and jewels in the cupboards and chests and in the steel drawers of the banks.''

"This constantly repeated exhortation of the fulfillment of a patriotic duty makes it clear what conditions regarding patriotic sentiment and a political and national conscience really obtain in certain by no means small circles of the better and best society that want to appear in general and heriditary losses of true patriotic sentiment. The same conditions as prevail regarding their social conscience; very bad, indeed. In these circles of society a great mass of gold and jewels is being held back from the Fatherland with really brutal selfishness and want of consideration. Their possessions have not even been diminished by voluntary sales to the purchasing bureaus. No, they have swollen extraordinarily. And nufortunately, this has been aided by Imperial legislation.

"When the question of taxing war profits came up in the Reichstag, the that works of art of all kinds, including artistically wrought articles of gold and jewels, be subjected to taxation so as to prevent tax dodging. That the rejection of this proposition by the Reichstag majority of the government was an unpardonable error was at once made clearly apparent. The war profiteers, the war extortioners and swindlers, understood very well how to take advantages of this kind of actually legalized tax dodging. A wild speculation in gold objects and jewels began, these valuables were subjected to unheard of usury, might been seen by examining the advertising columns containing offers to buy gold, pearls and jewels. It could be especially noted in Berlin and also here in Dresden what a splendid business the dealers in gold and jewels were doing. And with whom? With the god 'patriots' who had been able to enrich themselves without toil, through war contracts, by means of all kinds of usury, deceit and swindling, to the most grevious injury to the Fatherland. And all this happened while the official admonition was constantly being made in the most insistent manner. 'Give your gold to the Fatherland.' Not only to the gold and jewels in the cupboards and chests, but to the treasures that lie in the safe deposit boxes of the banks. But who, after the experiences already had, can believe that this exhortion can have the success so necessary for the interest of the nation? In this case there is noly one remedy—compulsory dispossession.

Two Sets of Harness Stolen.

Sam Dobbins, farmer living near [illegible] reported to the police that two sets of harness stolen from his barn last night. Mr. Dobbins has found no trace of the robber.

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San Francisco, Cal.—"I was in a very weak nervous condition, having suffered terribly from a female trouble for over five years. I had taken all kinds of medicine and had many different doctors and they all said I would have to be operated on, but Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound cured me entirely and now I am a strong well woman."—Mrs. H. Rosskamp, 1447 Devisadero St., San Francisco, Cal.

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Sheep on White House Grounds

Bought by President and Mrs. Wilson, to Crop the Grass and Increase the Meat Supply



Never before in America have sheep had so exclusive quarters. The White House is so well guarded that the splendid herd is perfectly safe, as not even a lap dog could squeeze in without being observed.

Fuel Value of Potatoes Higher Than of Any Other of Fresh Vegetables Used

Potatoes contain all the different substances needed for the body. Protein and minerals for growth and repair; starch and fat for energy; and minerals and roughage for body regulation. A diet of whole milk and potatoes is perfect; the fat and protein of the milk supplement the small quantity of these in the vegetable. The food value of potatoes is higher than that of any other fresh vegetable used, according to Lucy Gardiner of the University of Minnesota.

Common methods used in the preparation and cooking of potatoes are wasteful. When potatoes are peeled and allowed to stand for an hour or two in cold water they lose over half the protein and excellent mineral salts. The peeling also takes food with it. When cooking is begun in cold water the loss is nearly as great. Potatoes can be prepared with no loss of food value if they be first blanched by cooking in boiling water for ten minutes, then plunged into cold water, and the skin rubbed or peeled off. Cooking can be completed in any way desired, baking, steaming or boiling.

A quick oven is essential for baking and produces potatoes that are dry, mealy and easily digested.

If the skin is pricked with a fork toward the end of baking they are further improved by escape of steam. Soggy, watery potatoes do not digest easily and may cause gas.

Wise and Otherwise.

Wise is the man who can recall a previous engagement when he receives a disagreeable invitation.

Her strenuous effort to live up to her neighbors' expectations is what chases the roses from a woman's face.

It is easier for some butchers to get six hams out of a hog than it is to get one truthful word out of some men.

A man who has something to say always knows when he has said it—then he shuts up.

"Time is money," said the man who paid a jeweler $1.50 for repairing a 98-cent watch.

Farming on Paper Is Not Like the Farmer Finds It

Farming on paper is really rare sport, writes Robert M. Gary in the Atlantic. I have planned entire farms, drawing them neatly on paper, with dotted lines to show the rows of berries and crosses to indicate trees. I have planted my crops, and cultivated them, harvested them, marketed them—always at a surprising profit, and without a moment's worry about weather, caterpillars, birds or beetles. My hens have all laid two hundred eggs a year; my berries have all sold for 25 cents a box. Not a cow ever had hoof-and-mouth disease; not a pig had cholera. My farm was always situated on a New Hampshire mountain-side, overlooking lakes and rivers and sunsets. A soil which in reality produces blueberries and sweet fern, where it does not extrude rocks, on my farm is a foot in depth, as soft and moist as brown sugar, and fertile as an English meadow.

Can't Spend Their Money.

Two of the wealthiest persons in Ottawa county, Oklahoma, are Joe Carwar-yee-tee and his squaw. They are Quapaw Indians and live well, according to their notions in a rude log cabin on about $250 a year. They scarcely touch the immense pile of gold that is theirs which comes to them as royalties from land on which mineral deposits were discovered several years ago. Twice a year this Quapaw pair visit town for the purpose of laying in a supply of gaudy-colored calico for the wife and three or four pairs of overalls for the husband, and appear to feel even this is great extravagance.

POULTRY POINTERS

Keep the hens confined to your own land.

Don't keep a male bird. Hens lay just as well without a mate.

Don't overstock your land.

Purchase well-matured pullets rather than hens.

Don't expect great success in hatching and raising chicks unless you have had some experience and have a grass plot separate from the yard for the hens.

Build a cheap house or shelter.

Make the house dry and free from draughts, but allow for ventilation.

Fowls stand cold better than dampness.

Keep house and yard clean.

Provide roosts and dropping boards.

Provide a nest for each four or five hens.

Grow some green crop in the yard.

Spade up the yard frequently.

Feed table scraps and kitchen waste.

Also feed grain once a day.

Feed a dry mash.

Keep hens free from lice and the house free from mites.

Kill and eat the hens in the fall as they begin to molt and cease to lay.

Preserve the surplus eggs produced during the spring and summer for use during the fall and winter when eggs are scarce and high in price.

No Hope in Fried Whale With High Cost of Food

We are not greatly elated over the prospect of eating fried whale, although the dish has been pronounced excellent by Boston connoisseurs. When corn and oats were suggested as a substitute for wheat all patriotically fell in line, for it was thought that horse feed would be cheaper than man food, which would mean a financial saving as well as conservation for the good of the country. But we reckoned without our restaurateur. Immediately substitute sandwiches began to perform the feat of diminishing in size and increasing in price at the same time. The great abundance of the whale would seem to justify the hope for a large meal at a nominal cost, but there is a fear that the restaurateur will soon learn to slice him up with a safety razor with the same dexterity that he can now make a raisin pie with one raisin.—Philadelphia Telegraph.

Shooting Stars Date Back Into the Prehistoric Times

Our knowledge of shooting stars extends into the oldest history of humanity, back into prehistoric times. Yet today no one knows exactly what a shooting star is, or from where it comes, says the Popular Science Monthly. A hypothesis proposed in 1875 and generally accepted today is that meteorites are fragments broken from small planetary masses by volcanic explosions, brought about by a sudden expansion of gases, steam and probably hydrogen. The broken bits, after their separation, are believed to arrange themselves in swarms which cross the orbit of the earth in accordance with a definite law. Shooting stars, then, undoubtedly come from within our solar system and are broken bits of a world body destroyed by volcanic events. Many meteorites have been found in Arizona.

How Dust Causes Fires.

Spontaneous combustion is caused, so the chemists tell us, by floating particles of coal dust or other inflammable material jostling and clashing against one another until the friction they set up raises their temperature to the ignition point, says Popular Science Monthly. If this explanation is correct, it would appear as if such fires could be prevented by perfect ventilation. Such, however, is not the case, for ventilation may actually help to bring about fire by spontaneous combustion. Air facilitates oxidation, really fanning the warm dust into a blaze. Keep air damp and quiet to avoid fire.

ELKS GIVE HOSPITAL TO ARMY

New $250,000 Structure at Boston Will Be Used to Care for Wounded American Soldiers and Sailors

Boston, June 14.—The Cornerstone of Reconstruction Base Hospital No. 1, the first of its kind in the United States, and the gift to the government by the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, will be laid tomorrow in the presence of a distinguished assembly of citizens. Representatives of the nation, state and city, with eminent men of the medical profession and thousands of Elks and prominent citizens from all parts of the east, will participate in the ceremony on Parker Hill and signalize by their presence and words the notable importance of the event.

This first reconstruction hospital, which will serve as a model, the standard maker for similar ones to be established throughout the United States, will give the maimed and disabled American soldiers and sailors the best of expert attention and occupational instruction. It will rebuild human wreckage into able bodied men and will educate them in occupations which will best qualify them not to become a burden to society. The aim of the hospital in brief may be said to be to minimize the sufferings and disabilities caused by the war and to protect the community from an undue number of crippled citizens.

The government through the surgeon general's department in November last accepted the reconstruction hospital plans as a gift from the Elks. The Elks War Relief commission is building the reconstruction hospital at a cost of $250,000, the money being taken from the Elks' $1,000,000 war relief fund, voted by the Elks 1917 convention. The hospital will be ready to receive the wounded American soldiers and sailors in early September.

To the Women of America.

An authoritative statement from official Washington again impresses upon the women of America the fact that "they have never been called upon to bear so great a burden as the coming months will impose upon their courage and their constancy."

It is interesting to note that though women's part in all the war activities is emphasized, first place is given to the matter of food production and food conservation and women's share in it. The message reads in part: "The women of America must see to it that the nation's producing power is not enfeebled by the draft made upon it to strengthen the fighting power.

"They must produce food by working gardens, by raising chickens, by doing farm service where they can or by helping and encouraging those who do it. They must aid in the kitchen, conserving food by wide economies, canning, drying, preserving, pickling and preparing food in accordance with the food administration's emblem, watch their local dealers, by local produce in preference to shipped goods and resist the temptation to hoard.

"America is today rationing the world. Without our food supplies the Allies could not fight for us. They are suffering privations. The food that we save for them is not a saving of money. It is a saving of life. It is worth more than its weight in gold."

Cox Will Is Filed.

The will of the late Jennie L. Cox, whose death occurred recently at Hopkins, was filed for probate today. The will leaves all the estate to Mrs. Cox's two nieces, Catherine and Mary Brown. Simon E. Brown is named executor.

Guest of Eugene Yehle.

Orlo Bond, who belongs to the hospital section of the United States navy at Newport, R. I., is visiting a few days with Eugene Yehle of Maryville.

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Eastern Star Lodge.

The Eastern Star lodge will meet at 8 o'clock tonight at the I. O. O. F. hall.

Mission Circle Meeting.

The Mission Circle of the Christian church will meet at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Lee Crossan.

Skidmore Doctor Weds.

Miss Leota Danner of Astoria, Ill., and Dr. Thomas Wood of Skidmore were quietly married at 9 o'clock this morning at the Methodits church parsonage, the Rev. D. F. Harrison officiating. Dr. and Mrs. Wood went immediately to their home which had been made ready by Dr. Wood.

Picnic Supper.

A picnic supper was given Wednesday night at the Normal park in honor of Miss Ethel Ray, who left today for Quincy, Ill., to attend the Gem City Business college. Those in the party were Misses Mollie and Lou Henderson, Beulah Bagby, May Hamm, Ruth McDowell, Mrs. Robert Garten, Jessie Fisher, Phleta Ghering, Eula Carden of St. Louis and Ethel Ray.

For Miss Lou Henderson.

Mrs. Zyipha Garten and Miss Lois Cummings entertained at the home of Misses Mollie and Lou Henderson last evening in honor of Miss Lou Henderson, who was celebrating her birthday anniversary. The evening was spent in games and music and light refreshments were served. Those present were Bessie McDowell, Vera McDowell, Edna Zimmerman, Ola Zimmerman, Mrs. John Swartz, Mildred Cummings, Doris Cummings, Lucy Sturm, Louise Kroetch, Bertha Anderson, Edna Williams, Hazel Sheridan, Grace Sheridan, Phleta Gehring, Marie Murray, Ethel Ray, Beulah Bagby, May Hamm, Mayme Brewer, Cora Young, Ida Barton, Lavisa Swinford, Goldia Adcock, Maggie Allen and Daisy Allen.

Entertained for Son.

Mrs. W. R. McKee entertained at dinner Sunday in honor of her son, Leland, who leaves June 24, for Camp Pike, Ark., for military service. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Strong, and children, Lucile and Harlen, Mr. and Mrs. John Loch and daughter, Pauline, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Swaney and sons, Herbert and Lester, Mr. and Mrs. Ward Gray and daughter, Ruby, Leland Roy, Claude, Raymond, Ferne and Lois McKee and the hostess.

Lasher Meeting.

The Lasher auxiliary met Wednesday afternoon at their work room and made 525 4x4 wipes and 25 triangular bandages. Eighteen members and the instructoress, Miss Ella O'Grady, were present.

Victory Auxiliary.

The Victory auxiliary of the Red Cross met Wednesday at the Wilcox school house near Ravenwood with 12 members present and completed 300 4x4 wipes and 25 gauze compresses.

Elmo Auxiliary.

The Elmo Red Cross auxiliary met Wednesday afternoon, June 12, with twenty-four workers present. The following articles were made: 32 many-tailed bandages and 275 4x4 wipes. Electric fans have been installed which added much to the comfort of the workers.

Does Splendid Work.

The Ravenwood Union auxiliary met Tuesday afternoon at the I. O. O. F. hall with thirty members present and two visitors, Mrs. Will Dack and Miss Edna Brown, and made 550 4x4 wipes. They met again on Thursday afternoon with thirty-four members present and completed 1,007 4x4 wipes.

I. I. Auxiliary.

The I. I. auxiliary of the Red Cross met Wednesday afternoon at the Ireland school house and completed 400 4x4 wipes, 100 2x2 wipes, and 10 absorbent pads. The workers present were Mrs. Brice Hall, Mrs. Ed Babb, Mrs. Lon Hughes, Mrs. Allen Haller, Mrs. Elihu Shell, Mrs. Allie Lemon, Mrs. Hubert Wagner, Mrs. Joe Cockayne, Mrs. Al Taylor, Mrs. Clarence Duncan, Misses Jennie Duncan, Irene and Leta Babb, Lida Onstot, Sarah Garrett, Elizabeth Wagner. The next meeting will be held at the school house June 19.

Made 100 Many-tailed Bandages.

The Rebekah auxiliary of the Red Cross met Thursday afternoon at the I. O. O. F. hall and made 100 many-tailed bandages. This was the last meeting of the Instructoress, Miss May Orear, and hereafter Mrs. Al Heflin, Mrs. Elihu Shell and Miss Grace Haller will have charge. Those present were Mrs. Al Heflin, Mrs. John Adams, Mrs. Earl Duncan, Mrs. Hugh Brody, Mrs. W. B. Heryford, Mrs. Jack Friend, Mrs. Joe Sloan, Mrs. Clarence Duncan, Mrs. Elihu Shell, Mrs. Chester Ferguson, Mrs. Yahrmark and Mrs. Hostetter.



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We guarantee it to be the best floor varnish made. It preserves the natural beauty of wood floors. Marble Floor Finish resists constant wear. Two coats will last three years on a bath-room floor, four years on the floor of a bedroom or parlor. To clean it you need to use only a little Devoe Polish according to simple directions. We recommend Marble Floor Finish because in clear, dry weather it will dry over night.

Step in and let us tell you more of this and other Devoe products.

THE KOCH PHARMACY
Phones 58 Farmers 57
MARYVILLE, MISSOURI
PAINT DEVOE PAINT

Halt the Hun

Provide the boys with the things they need to make short work of him.

Guns, clothes, aircraft, food, munitions and the ships to get over with. These are the things the boys need, and they cost money—hunks of it.

June 28th
National War Savings Day

Make a Pledge to Buy War Saving Stamps

The more quickly our soldiers have all the things they need, the more quickly the ships will be bringing our boys back to us.

National War Savings Committee

This Space Contributed, for the Winning of the War, by THE PATRIOTIC BUSINESS MEN OF MARYVILLE

of a Ne'er-Do-Well.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

WANTS

THAT BRING RESULTS

RATES IN THIS COLUMN

Classified ads running three days or more will be inserted in this column for one-half cent per word each insertion. No ads taken for less than 25c for three days.

Ads running less than three days or interrupted insertions 1 cent per word each insertion.

Count the words; send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

These prices are for CASH with order. An extra charge of Five Cents will be made on all Want Ads when cash does not accompany the order.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—109 acres, on gravel road, 2 miles from city limits, highly improved. Denham & Goldsberry, Columbia, Mo. 23-J26*

FOR SALE—3 dwelling properties close in, at $1500, $2000 and $5000 Worth the money; terms reasonable R. L. McDougal. 28tf

FOR SALE—Registered Shorthorn yearling bulls, color red and roans. Delivered anywhere in county free of charge. Oren N. Lanning, Barnard. Paone 2105. 31-tf

FOR SALE—Cabbage, tomato and sweet potato plants, 50c per 100. Postage prepaid on mail orders amounting to $5.00 or more. W. E. Johnson Pickering. 31tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—1916 Ford touring car and two speed Excelsior motor cycles. Clark Machine Shop. 12-14*

FOR SALE—21 head spring pigs; weight 45 or 50 lbs. See Burt Rowley or Chas. Ross. 13-15*

FOR SALE—We have some real bargains in city property, in fact, cheaper than you can build. See us at once. Wallace Bros. 12-14*

FOR SALE—Osborne hay rake nearly new. Set work harness. M. C. Thompson. Farmers phone 41-15. 14-17*

FOR SALE — Crusader bicycle in very good condition; cheap if taken now. Virgil Rathbun. 14-17*

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Model 1918 Overland auto; will sell cheap for cash or will trade for live stock. Farmers phone F-221. L. L. Clary. 14-17*

FOR SALE—100,000 cabbage, tomato, red and yellow sweet potato plants, 65c per hundred, $6 per thousand. Mail orders filled promptly. Earl Kissinger, Hanamo 374. 31-tf

MISCELLANEOUS

HAIR CUT 25c; hair cut and shave 40c, except Saturdays. Protzman, under Montgomery Shoe store. 14-17*

DON'T FAIL to investigate my Pre-Valued automobile insurance indemnity single or term policies. Maximum efficiency, on an equitable basis besides forty years' experience. At your service for tire, lightning, hail and tornado, as well as accident and plate glass. See me while you think about it. Chas. Hyslop. 29tf

VIOLIN, ukulele and banjo ukulele lessons at Conservatory for 50c each this summer. 13-15*

FOUND—North of town, Waterman fountain pen. Owner can have same by paying for this ad. Call at Democrat-Forum office.

IF you are buggy, get your BUG finish at R. S. Braniger's, corner 3rd and Market. 29tf

WANTED

WANTED—3 men for cutting walnut timber $60 per month and board prefer men in second third or fourth class of draft. Address P. O. Box 200, Maryville. 8tf

WANTED—5-gallon bottles; will pay market price. Phone Banner Bottling Works. Hanamo 130. 12-14*

WANTED—To rent for the summer, an Underwood typewriter. Call Hanamo 203, Grace Hazlett. 12-14

WANTED—Competent girl to work three hours a day. Mrs. C. E. Wells, Hanamo 3716. 12-14

WANTED—Cook at county farm, middle aged woman preferred; good wages, steady employment. Farmers 17-20. 17tf

WANTED—Married man with small family to work on farm; good job for right kind of a man. Inquire J. E. Melvin, 212 W. Lincoln. 13-15*

WANTED—Two boys and one girl; must be over 16 years old. Maryville Laundry. 13-15

WANTED—Girl for general house work; no washing. Inquire 302 West 2nd St. Hanamo phone 304. 13tf

WANTED—Experienced girl wanted to wait tables. Good wages and steady position. New York Candy Kitchen. 10-tf

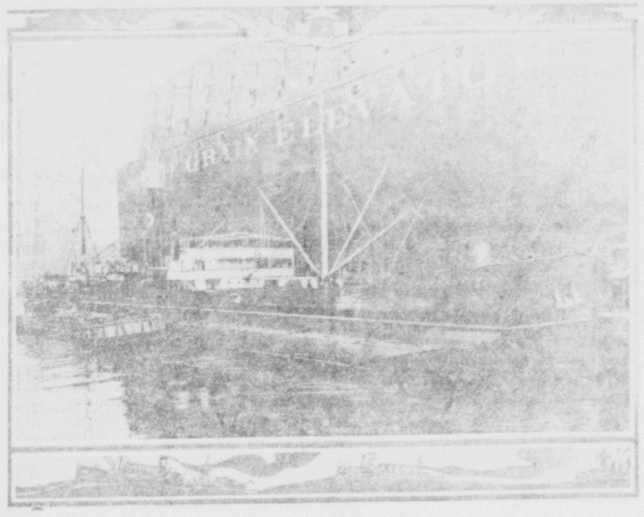
Doubling the Farmer's Wheat Dollar

By Charles W. Holman
(In the Country Gentleman)

OUR delay in getting this wheat started across the world was occasioned by the uncertain judgment of the manager. He sent a sample on to the St. Louis zone agent for test, which verified his judgment as to grade. He then went about his usual duties, cleaning the grain, filling his bins, and shipping out as regularly as he could in maximum carload quantities, in order to economize the use of cars in time of congestion. He was careful to keep his records very straight as to dates and quantities of wheat purchased, on hand, and shipped out, for the Grain Corporation requires weekly reports and full details of transactions.

Selling Wheat to Government.

ABOUT 29 days after the farmer brought in his wheat there came a request to this elevator for a carload to be purchased by the Grain Corporation. So one of our wheat bushels was poured into a car which miraculously had appeared on the siding at a time when car shortage was troubling the entire commercial world. Inquiry might have shown that



Loading Wheat at an Atlantic Port for the Allies.

the Grain Corporation was making a large purchase for the Allies and was utilizing its knowledge of available stocks by having on the job a transportation strategist—Edward Chambers, vice president of the Santa Fe. Mr. Chambers was assisting the Food Administration and has a remarkable "way with him." Even before he was called to assist Mr. McAdoo, the Director General, his suggestions to the railroads had a wonderful effect in discouraging their hesitancy as to finding available cars and in clearing up congestions that looked as though they never could be uncongested.

How Uncle Sam Keeps the Whip

Ease in getting the needed cars was one of the advantages enjoyed by this particular elevator after signing the voluntary agreement which ceded to the Grain Corporation the right to control storage and direct shipments and sales of all wheat bought by the proprietor.

While voluntary, this agreement is almost compulsory since railroads give priority recognition to Grain Corporation requests for cars; and elevators or mills outside the official fold must "rustle" for themselves. In return the Government guarantees the elevator proprietor against losses and protects him in every way as to price and pays him rentals for all storage space requisitioned by it.

All elevators, local and terminal, must take out licenses or face a shutdown. What is the power of the license? It requires the operator to lay all cards on the table as to his business dealings. For the time of the war the elevator becomes a public utility and its proprietor must furnish information as to his business at any time when required by the Grain Corporation. Each week he must make and mail reports showing the amount of wheat, rye, or their derivatives, purchased, stored, and shipped.

Under present license terms, the licensee can keep on hand for only 30 days, unless he obtains a special permit, any stocks of these grains or their derivatives. He is also forbidden to contract for the sale of any product which can not be delivered within 30 days after the contract is made.

How the Wheat Was Milled.

Away went our bushel of wheat on its journey to the terminal, where it met other bushels of wheat from all parts of the territory that fed this market. There it was regarded for special requirements, marked for immediate milling and rolled on to a large mill in Illinois. The miller bought the wheat from the Grain Corporation, for each miller in the United States is under license also, and most of them have filled out another voluntary agreement which binds them either to purchase all supplies from the Grain Corporation or under its direct supervision. The corporation charges each miller 1 per cent of the value of the wheat he grinds to cover the costs of administering the corporation; for the $50,000,000 capital is to be returned to the United States Treasury, unimpaired.

The agreement has its compensation, however, for the policy of Uncle Sam is to provide each mill with all wheat possible. To do so, every mill signing up was required to furnish an estimate of its possible milling capacity for the season. This nation-wide survey of milling capacities, when balanced against the available supply of wheat, enables the Grain Corporation to equalize supplies in a way never done before. In fact, the schedule of prices arranged for the primary markets had for an object this equalization. For instance, if the proprietor of an elevator at Maryville, Mo., 46 miles northeast of St. Joseph, and 453 miles from Chicago, desires to market wheat he has available these markets: St. Joseph, Mo.; Kansas City, Mo.; St. Louis, Mo.; Chicago, Ill., and New York City, N. Y. To ascertain the most advantageous price for him, he would work it out on the basis of the following table:

From this table you can see what wheat would bring at five different markets if shipped from Maryville, Mo.:

F. A. G. C. markets.	St. Joseph, Mo.	Kansas City, Mo.	St. Louis, Mo.
Base price	$2.15	$2.15	$2.18
Rate per 100 pounds	.065	.095	.1175
Rate per bushel	.039	.055	.0705
Net price	2.111	2.095	2.1095

F. A. G. C. markets.	Chicago, Ill.	New York City
Base price	$2.20	$2.23
Rate per 100 pounds	.1475	.3005
Rate per bushel	.0885	.1803
Net price	2.1115	2.0997

Under these conditions the proprietor would probably sell at St. Joseph or Chicago, according to his inclination.

The table further illustrates the equalization of prices and indicates to what extent the miller is protected when buying wheat in any territory. Through this plan discriminations against the producer, the miller, and the consumer are eliminated so far as it seems humanly possible under a plan of such tremendous proportions.

THESE schedules arranged for the various markets are veritable "price dams" to prevent the overflowing of the stream of wheat at any single market. They also tend to correct many abuses prevalent in the past, such as cutthroat methods adopted by mills to secure supplies and indiscriminate moving of wheat to terminals.

For all practical purposes the wheat business of the country is apportioned, and whenever possible mills are supplied from wheat in the territory nearest them. This policy has for an object the saving of waste in transportation. In another way saving is made: Formerly large quantities of undergrade wheats have been difficult to dispose of on account of unco-ordinated purchase of the competing mills; but under Uncle Sam's domination each bushel of wheat must now go somewhere and the poorer wheat will move just as freely as the more desirable grades.

Limiting Millers' Profits.

The Illinois miller who received the carlot containing our bushel of wheat milled it promptly and shipped its flour to a port for exportation. The miller was permitted by the Food Administration to make a fair profit, not exceeding a maximum of 25 cents per barrel on the flour and a maximum profit of 50 cents per ton on the feedstuffs left over. All mills, however, must furnish at regular intervals to the Milling Division full statements of manufacturing costs, which are scrutinized carefully. The derivatives of this wheat the miller sold for domestic consumption, as the policy of the Government is to keep in the United States all available feedstuffs in order to encourage live stock production.

MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Grain Market Future.

Kansas City, June 14.—CORN—July $1.49.

Kansas City Live Stock

Kansas City, June 14.—CATTLE—Receipts 1,000; steers $12.50 @ $17.85; cows $8.00 @ $15.50.

HOGS—Receipts 5,500; top $16.65; bulk $16.35 @ $16.50.

Chicago Live Stock

Chicago, June 14. — CATTLE—Receipts 5,000; market steady.

HOGS — Receipts 2,000; market steady.

St Joseph Live Stock

St. Joseph, June 14.—CATTLE—Receipts 700; market steady.

HOGS — Receipts 3,500; market steady; top $16.40.

PRODUCE MARKET.

Eggs (loss off), per doz.	27c
Butter fat, per lb.	40c
Hides, per lb.	12c
Hens, per lb.	20c
Bucks, per lb.	12c
Geese, per lb.	10c
Old Roosters, per lb.	12c

NOT SO EASY TO BE BAD

One Who Tries It May Come to Attach New Meaning to Biblical Injunction.

It is a popular fallacy that it is much easier to be bad than good. So firmly rooted is this error that it is universally accepted, H. Varley writes in Judge.

Yet it is very easy to demonstrate the absurdity of it. Imagine yourself, for a moment, having decided to be as bad as possible. Throw off all thought of convention of law, of caring for the opinions of others and of heeding the still, small voice within you.

Here you are then, ready to be bad. Not just ordinarily, pretty bad—but bad to the nth degree.

What shall you do? Murder? That's silly, for there is none you hate enough and if there was the fear of eventually sitting in a chair not upholstered for comfort but for speedy demise would deter you from murder.

Rob a bank? However delightful the prospect, you can't tear open iron bars with your bare hands nor dig through granite with your fingernails.

Elope with your neighbor's wife? That is the most ridiculous of all, for you know your neighbor and that removes any wish to endure, even for a moment, what he suffers indefinitely.

So you stand, and mentally go through the whole category of badness without finding a single thing you can do without much more trouble than you could perform some good deed. The worst you can picture yourself doing (that is feasible) is such a common peccadillo that you must despise it for its very littleness.

So you see the difficulty of being just a little bad—the utter impossibility of being really bad.

Then the Biblical injunction comes to you with an entirely new meaning: "The way of the transgressor is hard."

INVESTIGATE Beautiful Bates County Corn, Clover and Blue Grass farms. 70 miles south of Kansas City; smooth, well improved farms $75 to $125 per acre on best terms. Call, write or phone for particulars. Chas. R. Bowman, Hyslop building, north side square, Maryville, Mo. J 14 tf—W 20

FOUND—Automobile tail light and license number. Owner can have them by calling at this office.

THISTLE IN SCOTCH HISTORY

Various Traditions Concerning Its Adoption by the Highland Clans as Their Emblem.

"The thistle of Scotland is said to be the oldest national flower, and tradition traces its adoption to the reign of Alexander III and the battle of Larga" (when an attacking Dane stepped upon a thistle and involuntarily gave the alarm, whereupon the Scots drove the invaders out).

"Another account of its adoption is of a very different character," writes Katherine M. Beals in Flower Lore and Legend. "About the middle of the fifteenth century a company of stern-faced men met in the council chamber of Edinburgh, and the occasion of that meeting was to discuss the advisability of substituting the thistle for the figure of St. Andrew on the national banner. The proceedings of the council were secret, but soon after the thistle appeared upon every Scottish banner. The national motto might have been adopted with appropriateness on either of these occasions: 'Nemo me impune lacessit.' The polite reading of this is, 'No man attacks me without being punished,' but the more simple translation of earlier days was, 'Touch me who dares!' while the original is supposed to have been, 'Wha dare meddle wi' me?' Another inscription which sometimes accompanies the Scottish emblem reads: 'Ce que Dieu garde, est bien garde.' 'That which God guards is well guarded.'

"The thistle appeared officially for the first time during the reign of James II, who had it placed on the coinage of the realm and adopted it as his own badge. It also appeared upon the coins of the reigns of James IV, Mary Queen of Scots, James V and James VI. The Scottish dollar was a silver shilling. The thistle dollar was a demi-merk. Each took its name from the emblem it bore."

PROUD OF "REMINDER BOOK"

Mr. Blumkinton Claims That by Its Aid He Has Been Saved Much Time and Worry.

"What I used to do when I put anything away," said Mr. Blumkinton, "was to bestow it with great care in some place where I would know just where to find it, and then I would forget it completely. More than once when I have wanted something that I had thus carefully put away I have had to tear the house apart to find it.

"So it was until I evolved my 'Things Put Away' book which has proved to be a great help and comfort.

"Now when I put anything away I first enter it in that book, which is, of course, indexed, so that I won't have to look through a long list of things when I want to find anything.

"Once soon after I started the book I put that away somewhere very carefully and then forgot where I had put it and had a terrible time looking it up; but since then I have kept it in a spot where it can't fail to come under my eye daily; and it works like a charm.

"Really I should say that for anybody who like myself is apt to forget things a 'Things Put Away' book would be indispensable."

Hameaulier

A Pure Bred Percheron Stallion.

A dark steel gray, weight 1,970, fine style and action. $15 to insure living colt to stand and suck. Will make the season of 1918 at the barn of J. R. Dowden, three-fourths mile east of Myrtle Tree.
Farmers F1-15.

Catarrh is a Real Enemy and Requires Vigorous Treatment

Do Not Neglect It.

When you use medicated sprays, atomizers and douches for your Catarrh, you may succeed in unstopping the choked-up air passages for the time being, but this annoying condition returns, and you have to do the same thing over and over again.

Catarrh has never yet been cured by these local applications. Have you ever experienced any real benefit from such treatment?

Throw these makeshift remedies to the winds, and get on the right treatment. Go to your drug store to-day, get a bottle of S. S. S., and commence a treatment that has been praised by sufferers for nearly half a century.

S. S. S. gets right at the source of Catarrh, and forces from the blood the germs which cause the disease. You can obtain special medical advice regarding your own case without charge by writing to Medical Director, 22 Swift Laboratory, Atlanta, Ga.

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Ravenwood News

Miss Nellie Lee Sims, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Slagle and daughter, Ola, left Sunday for Denver, Colo. Mr. Slagle is seeking a change on account of failing health.

Mr. and Mrs. Evans Bishop of New Hampton, Mo., are spending the week with his brother, Dr. E. W. Bishop, and family.

Mrs. Vera Bohannan of Kansas City is visiting her father, S. E. Wells, and other relatives here.

Mrs. E. H. Sims and Elizabeth Bishop are guests at the Pettijohn home in Grant City this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Olen Larmer and Lon Vance, and Mrs. W. W. Wygal drove from Winner, S. Dakota, arriving here Sunday, for a visit at the home of J. T. aLrmer.

C. E. Bishop of St. Joseph is spending a few days at the home of his parents, Dr. and Mrs. E. W. Bishop.

Mrs. S. E. Well sleft Tuesday for a two weeks visit with relatives at Columbia, Mo.

David Flynn went to Des Moines Wednesday to attend the G. A. R. encampment there this week.

FOUND—Friendship link bracelet at Empire theatre. Owner can have same by paying for this ad.

Call Standard Plumbing Co. for an estimate on your plumbing and heating. Hanamo 46.—Adv.

The New Pension Bill.

On Monday of this week President Wilson signed the new pension bill, known as the Smoot bill. It reads:

"Section 6. That from and after the passage of this amendment the rate of pension for any person who served 90 days or more in the military or naval service of the United States during the Civil War, now on the roll or hereafter to be placed on the pension roll and entitled to receive a less rate than hereinafter provided, shall be $30 per month. In case such person has reached the age of 72 years and served six months the rate shall be $32 per month; one year, $35 per month; one and a half years, $38 per month; two years or over, $40 per month; provided, that this amendment shall not be so construed as to reduce any pension under any act, public or private."

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.



Makes up for what you miss on "Hoover Days"

A particularly happy thought for the housewife on "Hoover Days" is

Bevo
REG. U.S. PAT. OFF.
THE BEVERAGE

—the all-year-'round soft drink. Tastes so good everybody at table is tempted to eat less and drink more. A *pure* drink. Milk or water may contain bacteria—Bevo *cannot*.

Get it by the case for the home folks. No refreshment more appropriate and enjoyable at affairs such as bazaars, picnics and church sociables.

Bevo has been approved by the Government for our boys, and is immensely popular aboard U. S. men-o'-war and in the military cantonments.

Families supplied by grocers, dealers or druggists.

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SPEED! More speed is essential to every business and industry because of the fewer persons available for labor. "An Hour More of Daylight" through the summer months will enable everyone to add to his or her personal efficiency. Speed up your business and your daily effort!

Save your money and deposit it in this Bank. Every cent you put to work here, helps make business better, helps to speed up industry and production in this community

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